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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Granted

‡3-WF. Swift & Co., World's Fair Grounds, New York, N. Y.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

850. Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories, Inc., Eleventh and Douglas Streets, Kansas City, Kans.
From Subsidiary: Rutherford Chile Co., under establishment 438, Rutherford Food Corporation, Kansas City, Mo.

Meat Inspection Extended

438. Rutherford Food Corporation, Kansas City, Mo., to include The TexTang Co., and Westport Canning Co.

Change of Name of Official Establishment

1020. Prudence Foods, Inc., Boston, Mass., and Boston Food Products Co., instead of Boston Food Products Co.

‡ No sealed cars.

Change of Address of Official in Charge

Dr. S. H. Still, 209 Post Office and Court House Building, San Juan, Puerto Rico, instead of 309 Ochoa Building.

New Station

Key West, Fla., cooperating in inspections for the Navy, Isaac R. Rutt, care Supply Officer, United States Naval Station, in charge.

On page 26 of the Directory, remove character indicating no sealed cars preceding establishment 390, Dugdale Packing Co., St. Joseph, Mo. On pages 29 and 31 of the Directory, add character indicating no sealed cars

preceding establishment 922, Acme Provision Co., Bristol, Va.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION. MARCH 1940 1

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Goats	Swine
Chicago ² Denver Kansas City New York ⁵ Omaha St. Louis ⁴ Sioux City South St. Paul ⁵ All other stations	102, 737 7, 886 39, 608 36, 724 53, 863 39, 867 27, 048 61, 056 352, 365	31, 105 1, 520 17, 481 54, 983 4, 389 26, 778 871 43, 656 259, 196	194, 508 24, 699 82, 474 219, 880 92, 603 34, 447 40, 989 36, 411 539, 579	90	449, 522 23, 524 123, 807 203, 954 156, 090 254, 242 152, 256 276, 616 2, 341, 161
Total: March 1940 March 1939 9 months ended March 1940 March 1949.	721, 163 773, 801 7, 252, 778 7, 271, 912	439, 979 478, 416 3, 805, 603 3, 968, 788	1, 265, 590 1, 473, 069 13, 109, 708 13, 486, 347	90 75 2, 737 3, 651	3, 981, 172 3, 229, 120 35, 287, 328 29, 124, 563

¹ Horses slaughtered:		
March 1940	2, 1	179
March 1939		
9 months ended—		
March 1940.	23, 6	360
March 1020	23 (202

Includes Elburn, Ill.
Includes Jersey City and Newark, N. J.
Includes National Stock Yards and East St. Louis, Ill.
Includes Newport and St. Paul, Minn.

MEAT AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS PREPARED AND PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, MARCH 1940

Product	Quantity	Product	Quantity
Meat placed in cure: Beef	41, 394, 510 8, 320, 827 7, 962, 505 573, 031 18, 278, 922 6, 271, 628 29, 207, 296 3, 944, 746	Bacon, sliced	8, 820, 144 4, 895, 333 12, 396, 221

¹ This figure represents "inspection pounds" as some of the products may have been inspected and recorded more than once due to having been subjected to more than one distinct processing treatment, such as curing first and then canning.

MEAT AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS CERTIFIED FOR EXPORT, MARCH 1940

	Quantity	during—		Quantity during—		
Product	March 1940	March 1939	Product	March 1940	March 1939	
Beef and veal: Fresh. Cured. Smoked. Canned. Edible organs— Fresh. Cured. Miscellaneous. Lamb and mutton: Fresh. Canned. Edible organs— Fresh Pork: Fresh. Cured. Smoked.	Pounds 63, 386 596, 623 29, 784 206, 902 119, 394 5, 062	Pounds 155, 319 460, 743 356, 581 454, 769 508 75, 639 9, 947 20, 293 121, 367 1, 386, 153 7, 291, 945 300, 304	Pork—Continued. Canned Edible organs— Fresh Cured Miscellaneous. Sausage Lard Compound (lard substitute) Oleo stock Oleo oil. Oleostearin Oleomargarine Edible tallow Total Horse meat.	2, 598 189, 712 18, 587, 683 72, 237 188, 422 238, 368	Pounds 952, 701 978, 580 35, 600 8, 609 340, 122 21, 047, 302 10, 213 187, 557 507, 736 2, 128 34, 705, 306 164, 081	

FOOD ANIMALS AND MEAT AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS INSPECTED WHEN OFFERED FOR IMPORTATION, MARCH 1940

Food animals passed for entry

Country of origin	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico Canada New Zealand Virgin Islands (to Puerto Rico)	44, 164 12, 916	2	115 2	1
Total:	57, 265 105, 079 436, 915 493, 429	2 1 149 219	117 53 2, 369 2, 665	1 144 34

Refused entry: 4,741 cattle. Inspected for movement in bond for reentry into Mexico 451 cattle. (These figures are not included in the table above.)

Meat and meat food products passed for entry

Country of origin	Chilled	and froze meat	en fresh	Cured meat	Canned	Sausage	Other	
	Beef and veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork		meet meet		(not canned)	products
Argentina	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds 3, 484, 175	Pounds	Pounds 2, 576	Pounds 3, 486, 751 3, 325
Brazil Canada Cuba	22, 771 25, 028	8	135, 215	41,649	330, 514 5 1, 464	8, 132	37, 520 306, 284 1, 568	368, 034 514, 064 26, 492
Denmark France Great Britain Hungary					18, 230 169 	1, 100 551	2, 615 3, 076	24, 166 2, 784 3, 076 185, 261
Ireland Italy Japan				4, 617 316	3, 018 5, 419	95, 581		4, 617 98, 915 5, 419
Netherlands New Zealand Norway Paraguay	47, 550				2, 445 641, 682			773 51, 762 2, 445 641, 682
Switzerland Uruguay Yugoslavia					287, 988 137		1, 000	1, 000 397, 407 137
Total	98, 674	1, 258	135, 215	160, 042	4, 959, 956	105, 364	357, 601	5, 818, 110

Condemned: Canned beef, 73 pounds; total, 73 pounds. Refused entry: Canned beef, 4 pounds; cured pork, 34 pounds; canned sausage, 155 pounds; total, 193 pounds.

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, MARCH 1940

		1			.G.		
	Tubero tests du mon	ring	Tota	al to da	te 1		
State or Territory	Cattle tested	Cat- tle re- acted	Once tested- free herds	Ac- cred- ited herds	Herds under super- vision	Inspector in charge	State official
Alabama Arizona Arkansas	6, 646 17, 189 776	40 8 0	270, 875 12, 236 231, 608	420 8 2	272, 295 12, 593 231, 613	R. E. Jackson F. L. Schneider A. W. Rice	I. S. McAdory, Auburn. T. B. Jones, Phoenix. C. D. Stubbs, Little Rock.
California	159, 286	1, 263	74, 122	22	74, 669	W. E. Howe	C. U. Duckworth, Sacramento.
Colorado Connecticut Delaware	6, 992 14, 999 3, 016	17 85 9	60, 611 382 5, 520	32 17, 190 2, 622	60, 846 18, 654 8, 169	A. H. Francis R. L. Smith O. L. Lockwood	R. M. Gow, Denver. R. L. Harding, Hartford. Harry McDaniel, Jr., Dover.
Dist. of Col	0 3, 761 1, 166 3, 979 98, 628 15, 730 118, 898 6, 518 2, 194	0 11 0 6 581 39 862 33	15 40, 384 242, 181 51, 140 232, 671 146, 109 169, 000 171, 032 163, 647	2 67 50 35 659 1, 348 721 272 24		A. E. Wight T. H. Applewhite W. C. Dendinger A. K. Kuttler J. J. Lintner W. A. Sullivan J. A. Barger Ralph Graham E. E. Coshow	J. V. Knapp, Tallahassee. J. M. Sutton, Atlanta. E. T. Powell, Boise. J. P. Stout, Springfield. J. L. Axby, Indianapolis. H. A. Seidell, Des Moines. W. J. Miller, Topeka. D. E. Westmorland, Frankfort.
Louisiana	2, 294	8	148, 782		148, 804	W. A. McDonald	E. P. Flower, Baton
Maine	6, 756 18, 114 29, 516 50, 108 57, 032 6, 483 2, 546	144 110 241	43, 392 26, 125 1, 029 206, 680 197, 396 260, 164 237, 707	13, 970 21, 430 68 488 4	207, 087 198, 226 260, 211	A. L. Hirleman O. L. Lockwood E. A. Crossman C. H. Hays W. J. Fretz H. Robbins W. F. Biles	H. M. Tucker, Augusta. Mark Welsh, Baltimore. Mark Galusha, Boston. C. H. Clark, Lansing. C. E. Cotton, St. Paul. E. S. Brashier, Jackson. H. E. Curry, Jefferson City.
Montana Nebraska Nevada New Hampshire New Jersey	4, 728 923	24 12 10	72, 999 134, 887 3, 417 261 1, 621	34 2 17, 842	18, 141	J. W. Murdoch R. A. Given E. A. Crossman	W. J. Butler, Helena. F. A. Jelen, Lincoln. Edward Records, Reno.
New Mexico	2, 095	5	22, 104	17	25, 450	F. L. Schneider	Sam McCue, Albuquer-
New York North Carolina North Dakota	51, 505 2, 822 15, 001	0		138, 942 463 240	256, 633	A. A. Husman	marck.
OhioOklahoma	74, 754 4, 522			475 18		A. J. DeFosset L. J. Allen	F. L. Carr, Columbus. D. H. Ricks, Oklahoma
OregonPennsylvaniaRhode IslandSouth CarolinaSouth DakotaTennessee	2, 196 519 36, 420	194 14 0 121	141, 400 2, 258 56, 162 73, 183	66	167, 655 4, 016 56, 229 73, 365	E. A. Crossman	W. H. Lytle, Salem. C. P. Bishop, Harrisburg. G. W. Breed, Providence. W. K. Lewis, Columbia. R. S. Robinson, Pierre. A. C. Topmiller, Nash-
Texas	21, 558 4, 780	21		74 128		H. L. Darby H. H. Cohenour.	T. O. Booth, Fort Worth.
Vermont Virginia Washington West Virginia	5, 53	7 1 7 43	198, 414 73, 417	609	199, 291 76, 478	H. S. Miller J. C. Exline	M. R. Hales, Olympia.
Wisconsin Wyoming Hawaii Puerto Rico	46, 317	7 176 1 14	179, 019 19, 155 1, 700 19, 000	5	19, 168 1, 700 20, 000	Lewis Bilikam S. H. Still	E. H. Willers, Honolulu. Isidoro A. Colon, San Juan.
Virgin Islands	1	1	40	1	424	1do	G. C. Kendall, Christian sted.
Total	1,073,29	5, 300	5,775,538	272, 660	6,389,64	5	

¹ All States are 100 percent modified accredited except California, which has 53 counties (91.4 percent) in the modified accredited area. Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands are also in the modified accredited area.

SUMMARY OF BANG'S DISEASE WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, MARCH 1940 $^{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$

State or Territory	Agglut blood te pleted mor	sts com- during	Results	of aggluti	Herds under	Cattle			
	Herds	Cattle	Herds contain-	Total cattle in	Re-	Neg	ative	super- vision	on wait- ing list
			ing in- fection	herds	actors	Herds	Cattle		
AlabamaArizonaArkansasCalifornia	3, 722 85 2, 234	21, 415 1, 541 24, 707	207 15 195	9, 493 392 6, 633	963 52 436	3, 515 70 2, 039	11,922 1,149 18,074	52, 177 2, 678 177, 166 10	58, 328 1, 000
Colorado Connecticut Delaware Florida Georgia Idaho Illinois Indiana Iowa Kansas Kentucky Louisiana Maine Maryland Masseabusetts	192 98 141 1, 304 2, 675 1, 276 435 234 1, 016 54 328 2, 924 149 669	3, 954 3, 701 2, 465 41, 521 18, 634 10, 271 8, 085 3, 880 18, 378 1, 813 4, 539 24, 452 2, 880 10, 161	24 18 32 157 144 109 131 28 333 11 68 163 48 170	463 1, 003 629 20, 350 5, 647 1, 842 3, 486 734 7, 293 411 1, 211 6, 276 950 3, 858	51 422 55 411 518 236 386 39 1,119 70 144 328 107 426	168 80 109 1, 147 2, 531 1, 167 304 206 683 260 2, 761 101 499	3, 491 2, 698 1, 836 21, 171 12, 987 8, 429 4, 599 4, 599 3, 146 11, 085 1, 402 3, 328 18, 176 1, 930 6, 303	1, 616 356 5, 199 16, 073 81, 040 26, 463 12, 324 5, 595 22, 612 2, 496 39, 057 60, 548 2, 597 18, 388	3, 463
Massachusetts. Michigan. Minnesota. Mississippi. Missouri. Montana. Nebraska. Nevada. New Hampshire. New Hersey. New Mexico. New York. North Carolina. North Dakota. Ohio. Oklahoma. Oregon. Pennsylvania. Rhode Island. South Carolina. South Dakota. Tennessee.	804 171 591 484 4,362 1,824 1,724 1,139 2,883 5,216 7 348 55 1,005	17, 911 18, 640 3, 722 15, 694 3, 080 2, 736 11, 897 6, 444 3, 996 15, 133 18, 436 27, 599 20, 629 21, 856 28, 923 50, 564 188 3, 315 1, 831 12, 630	274 361 29 189 30 59 22 116 6 29 50 210 55 227 279 295 131 471 1 9 111 136	3, 935 8, 759 2, 192 1, 922 1, 956 826 1, 322 1, 956 836 3, 067 664 7, 935 1, 977 5, 371 4, 434 8, 319 4, 606 11, 088 3 227 464 4, 533	634 795 69 464 134 162 192 305 81 537 109 519 844 733 311 1,356 266 458	1,488 593 124 905 130 92 20 688 1442 541 2,74 4,307 1,597 1,445 869	13, 976 9, 881 1, 530 12, 067 2, 254 1, 414 211 11, 061 3, 377 3, 332 7, 198 16, 459 22, 228 13, 537 24, 317 39, 476 13, 537 30, 88 1, 419 13, 537 14, 144 15, 15, 15 16, 195 17, 198 18,	148 19, 436 60, 714 6, 892 5, 441 4, 966 1, 437 3, 617 3, 818 122, 151 30, 792 45, 300 41, 256 78, 014 60, 590 122 22, 690 1, 436 6, 590 1, 436 8, 588 126, 590 1, 436 8, 590 8,	13, 8S3 71, 000 1, 663 5, 000 23, 077 100, 000 171, 798 6, 073 40, 000 175, 565 2, 000 1, 150 50, 000
Texas Utah Vermont Virginia Washington West Virginia Wisconsin Wyoming Puerto Rico Total	272 895 147 261 1,686 831 2,496 80	7, 769 4, 903 4, 397 4, 377 18, 027 7, 102 58, 009 1, 217	19 51 42 12 97 19 528 14 	2, 496 632 1, 150 579 2, 910 207 14, 078 528 	54 82 107 14 209 28 1,618 31	253 814 105 249 1, 589 812 1. 968 66	5, 273 4, 271 3, 247 3, 798 15, 117 6, 895 43, 931 689	1, 048 24, 015 421 179, 378 73, 534 44, 517 67, 862 2, 385 3 1, 547, 936	269 148, 046

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Officials in charge of Bang's disease work are the same as those listed in summary of tuberculosis-eradication work,

BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS PREPARED UNDER LICENSES, MARCH 1940

Anti-hog-cholera serum

Period	Preserved	Completed	Released	Destroyed
March 1940	Cc.	Cc.	Cc. 71, 268, 590 72, 586, 715 820, 947, 800 696, 889, 940	Cc.
March 1939	113, 114, 505	114, 547, 889		402, 495
9 months ended—	115, 604, 834	108, 197, 444		372, 815
March 1940	1, 000, 850, 611	984, 446, 051		4, 639, 686
March 1939	761, 760, 167	742, 929, 630		3, 022, 255

Hog-cholera virus

		Produced	Destroyed		
Period	Simultane- ous	Hyperim- munizing	Inoculat- ing	Simultane- ous	Hyperim- munizing
March 1940 March 1939 9 months ended— March 1940 March 1939	Cc. 4, 904, 037 4, 473, 234 40, 146, 112 41, 891, 450	Cc. 20, 154, 620 22, 820, 487 194, 680, 752 154, 318, 251	Cc. 81, 165 78, 693 610, 260 545, 139	Cc. 336, 907 183, 075 2, 607, 876 1, 373, 144	Cc. 577, 915 750, 795 6, 308, 319 5, 141, 589

INSPECTIONS AND TESTS IN THE PREPARATION OF BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS UNDER LICENSES, MARCH 1940

Period	Animal	Animal	Pigs inocu-	Hogs	Tests supervised		
	inspec- tions	rejec- tions	lated	hypered	Serum	Virus	
March 1940 March 1939 9 months ended— March 1940 March 1939	304, 175 307, 573 2, 748, 387 2, 151, 761	2, 942 3, 345 29, 219 22, 935	26, 097 25, 585 219, 423 174, 909	16, 895 18, 044 155, 409 121, 690	374 428 3, 779 3, 010	144 138 1,483 1,481	

LICENSES ISSUED FOR BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS, MARCH 1940

License No. 52 was issued March 14, 1940, to Cutter Laboratories, Fourth and Parker Streets, Berkeley, Calif., for: Avisepticus-gallinarum bacterin; bronchisepticus-bacillus bacterin; felisepticus-bacillus bacterin.

Licenses No. 112, issued February 21 and June 3, 1939, to Fort Dodge Serum Co., 300 First Avenue South, Fort Dodge, Iowa, were terminated March 19, 1940, without prejudice, and license reissued on the same date to Fort Dodge Serum Co., 300 First Avenue South, Fort Dodge, Iowa, for: Anthrax spore vaccine; antibacterial serum (bovine); antibacterial serum (canine); antibacterial serum (equine); antibacterial serum (feline); antibacterial serum (porcine); antiblackleg serum; anti-bronchisepticus-bacillus serum; anti-canine-distemper serum; antiencephalomyelitis serum (eastern); antiencephalomyelitis serum (western); anti-feline-distemper serum; anti-hemorrhagic-septicemia serum; anti-hog-cholera serum; antistreptococcus serum; anti-swine-erysipelas serum; autogenous bacterin; avian tuberculin; avi-septicus-gallinarum bacterin; blackleg bacterin; blackleg cultural aggressin; blackleg natural aggressin; blackleg catterin; blackleg catterin; blackleg natural aggressin; botulinus antitoxin (types A, B, and C); bronchisepticus-bacillus bacterin; bronchisepticus-streptococcus bacterin; brucella abortus vaccine; canine-distemper vaccine; canine-distemper virus; clostridium chauveisepticus bacterin; colon-bacillus bacterin; encephalomyelitis vaccine (eastern); encephalomyelitis vaccine (western); encephalomyelitis vaccine (eastern awestern); felisepticus-bacillus bacterin; fowl-laryngotracheitis vaccine; fowl-pox vaccine; callinguam typicum; bacterin; beneuvalaryngotracheitis vaccine; aggressin; vaccine; gallinarum-typhimurium bacterin; hemorrhagic-septicemia aggressin;

hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin; hog-cholera virus; listerella monocytogenes bacterin; mallein; mixed bacterin (avian); mixed bacterin (bovine); mixed bacterin (canine); mixed bacterin (equine); mixed bacterin (feline); mixed bacterin (lepine); mixed bacterin (porcine); normal serum; ovine-ecthyma vaccine; pasteurella avicida bacterin; pigeon-pox vaccine; pullorin; rabies vaccine; salmonella abortivoequina bacterin; staphylococcus bacterin; staphylococcus-streptococcus bacterin; streptococcus bacterin; swine-erysipelas vaccine (export only); tetanus antitoxin; tetanus toxoid; tuberculin.

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License No. 191 was issued March 14, 1940, to Ashe Lockhart, Inc., 800–804
Woodswether Road, Kansas City, Mo., for: Anthrax bacterin; anti-colon-bacillus

serum; salmonella cholerasuis bacterin.

PERMIT ISSUED FOR BIOLOGICAL PRODUCT, MARCH 1940

Special permit was issued March 28, 1940, to Burroughs Wellcome & Co., 9 and 11 East Forty-first Street, New York, N. Y., to import through the port of New York, N. Y., one shipment of a biological product, under the provisions of B. A. I. Order 276.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS.

Penalties and fines have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the Bureau, as follows:

Twenty-eight-Hour Law

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Co. (2 cases), \$200 penalties. Missouri Pacific Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Norfolk & Western Railway Co., \$100 penalty.

Meat Inspection Act

For offering uninspected meat for interstate shipment: Hanover Beef Co., Inc., Boston, Mass., \$25 fine. (M. I. case No. 1844.)

PERMITTED DISINFECTANTS

Permission has been granted for the use of the following cresylic disinfectants in official disinfection:

Dissol, The Daytol Co., Celina, Ohio.

Usol Cresylic Compound, Standard Tar Products Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

Changes of Names of Permitted Disinfectants

Names of permitted disinfectants have been changed, as follows:
Bourbon Saponified Cresol Compound, changed to Bourbon Cresylic Disin-

fectant.

Dolge Saponified Cresol, changed to Dolge Cresylic Disinfectant.

Martin-Senour 50% Cresol Solution, changed to Martin-Senour 50% Cresylic Disinfectant.

Rogers 50% Cresote Solution, changed to Rogers 50% Cresylic Disinfectant.

Change of Name of Manufacturer

The name of the firm which manufactures Anchor Brand Saponified Cresol Solution has been changed from The Antiseptic Products Co., Denver, Colo., to Mountain States Chemical Co., Denver, Colo.

PERSONNEL RELATIONS POLICY AND PROCEDURE

The attention of all employees of the Bureau is called to the issuance of Secretary's Memorandum No. 753, Revised, dated April 4, 1940, copies of which have been sent to all heads of offices with instructions to make distribution to each employee. The memorandum outlines the personnel relations policy and procedure for the Department of Agriculture and is a revision of a memorandum bearing the same number issued on May 4, 1938, and revised by Secretary's Memorandum No. 822, dated May 15, 1939.

Any employee who has not received a copy of the revised memorandum should

immediately make request for one from the head of his office.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO RETIREMENT FUND

All employees within the purview of the Civil Service Retirement Act may at any time make additional voluntary contributions to the retirement fund, not to exceed 10 percent of the aggregate annual basic salary received since August 1, 1920.

An employee desiring to make voluntary deposits must first execute and file Retirement Form 3471 "Election to Make Voluntary Contributions" with the Civil Service Commission. Upon receipt of Form 3471 the Commission will furnish the employee an account book, Form 3472, containing 25 deposit slips and properly identified by a membership number. No deposit should be made prior to the approval of Form 3471 by the Retirement Division of the Commission. The possession by an employee of an account book is prima facie evidence of such approval. Additional account books may be obtained by the employee from the Commission upon request.

In view of the complications involved, voluntary contributions will not be made by payroll deductions. Each deposit shall be made in the amount of \$25 or a multiple thereof, by money order, draft, or check made payable to the United States Civil Service Commission. A deposit slip must be filled out by the employee and sent direct to the Commission, Washington, D. C., with each deposit. That office will issue a receipt. Form 3475 for each deposit received

That office will issue a receipt, Form 3475, for each deposit received.

The Retirement Division of the Commission will maintain the "Voluntary Contributions Account," Form 3474, of each employee electing to make additional deposits to the retirement fund. The amount of deposit is optional with the employee subject to the restrictions mentioned above. The fact that an employee has made one or more deposits does not obligate him to continue making such deposits. The money deposited, with interest as prescribed by law, shall be available to purchase additional annuity at the date of retirement, in pursuance of rules and regulations to be prescribed by the Commission with the approval of the Board of Actuaries.

Voluntary deposits will be refunded only in case of (a) transfer to a position in which the employee does not retain his status under the Retirement Act, (b) absolute separation from the service prior to becoming eligible for retirement annuity, and (c) death.

Employees who are indebted to the Civil Service Retirement Fund—because of failure to redeposit deductions previously refunded or because, in cases of administrative error, the proper deductions were not currently taken—must liquidate that indebtedness before becoming eligible to make additional deposits. In order to clear up this indebtedness, the employee must execute and submit Form 3012, "Application for Service Credit," to the Bureau for transmittal through the regular channels to the Civil Service Commission. The Commission will then compute the exact amount owed and notify the employee.

Employees desiring copies of Form 3471 or Form 3012 may obtain them through the head of their office.

NEW PUBLICATIONS OF THE BUREAU

[The Bureau keeps no mailing list for sending publications to individual employees, but sends copies to officers in charge of stations and offices. These publications should be regarded as notification copies. So far as possible additional copies will be furnished on request.]

Farmers' Bulletin 1419 (slightly revised). Care and Management of Farm Work Horses. By J. O. Williams and Earl B. Krantz, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 13, figs. 15.
Farmers' Bulletin 1549 (slightly revised). Feeding Cattle for Beef. By W.

H. Black, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 18, figs. 10.

Technical Bulletin 717. Beef Production and Quality as Affected by Method of Feeding Supplements to Steers on Grass in the Appalachian Region. By W. H. Black and R. L. Hiner, Animal Husbandry Division; L. B. Burk, Agricultural Marketing Service; Lucy M. Alexander, Foods and Nutrition Division, Bureau of Home Economics; and C. V. Wilson, West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station. Pp. 32, figs. 7.

Circular 538. Some Factors Affecting Survival, Growth, and Selection of Lambs. By Ralph W. Phillips and W. M. Dawson, Animal Husbandry Division.

Pp. 18.

Journal of Agricultural Research Separate A-192. Sporulation and Viability

of Occysts of Eimeria Arlongi from the Domestic Sheep. By John F. Christensen, Zoological Division. Pp. 527-534.

Amendment 42 to Declaration 12 under B. A. I. Order 309. Declaring Names of Counties Placed in Modified Tuberculosis-Free Accredited Areas. Effective April 1, 1940. Pp. 2, mimeographed.

Names of Counties Declared to be Modified Accredited Bang's Disease-Free

Areas. Effective February 1, 1940. Pp. 2, mimeographed.
Supplement 1 to Names of Counties Declared to be Modified Accredited Bang's Disease-Free Areas. Effective April 1, 1940. P. 1, mimeographed.
Swine Erysipelas (Diamond-Skin Disease). By C. G. Grey, Pathological Division. Pp. 2, mimeographed.

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